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Honorable Edward P. Boland, Chairman Permanent Select Committee on Intelligence House of Representatives Washington, D.C. 20515

Dear Mr. Chairman:

Thank you for your letter of August 4, 1978, which forwarded the Subcommittee on Evaluation's staff report, Warning: An Assessment of Intelligence Community Performance and Capability. I agree with your observation that effective warning is an exceedingly important aspect of the Intelligence Community's responsibilities, and I welcome this opportunity for exchange with your Committee.

The reports which you have forwarded to me have been circulated to the appropriate components of the Agency and Intelligence Community staff.

Yours sincerely,

/s/ Stansfield Turner

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